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Fig. 6C shows the voltage waveform applied when operating a cold cathode fluorescent lamp connected to a piezoelectric transformer connected according to the prior art, and Fig. 6D shows the voltage waveform applied when operating a cold cathode fluorescent lamp connected according to the present invention;---

Please amend the paragraph on page 24, lines 12-14 as follows:

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---Fig. 6A shows the waveform of the voltage applied to strike a CCFL 1126 connected to a conventional piezoelectric transformer 610 as shown in Fig. 5, and Fig. 6C shows the waveform of the operating voltage.---

[Please amend the paragraph on page 24, lines 15-17 as follows:]

---Fig. 6B shows the waveform of the voltage applied to strike a CCFL 126 connected to a piezoelectric transformer 110 according to the present invention, and Fig. 6D shows the operating voltage waveform.---

Please amend the paragraph on page 24, lines 18-19 as follows:

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---The solid lines in Figs. 6B and 6D according to the present invention indicate V_{sc} and V_{oc} , and the dot-dash lines indicate V_{sd} and V_{od} .---

Please amend the paragraphs on page 25, lines 8-18 as follows:

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---To operate the conventionally connected single CCFL 1126 using a prior art piezoelectric transformer 610, the ground potential (0V) is applied to one electrical terminal and V_{op} is applied to the other terminal as shown in FIG. 6C.